



Carlyn R. Vincent

February 11, 1923 - November 28, 2012

Carlyn Rosine Vincent, 89, of St. Mary's, passed away November 28, 2012 at St. Mary's Health Center. Carlyn was born February 11, 1923 in Elgin Il where she later met and married Manuel Vincent in 1943. He preceded her in death in 1968. She was also preceded in death by her two sons, John Vincent in 1980 and Joseph Vincent in 2001. Carlyn and Manuel left Illinois for Arizona before settling in California in the late 1950's and served as a private duty nurse for many years. She came to Kansas in 1994 Carlyn was known for her sense of humor and kindness, as well as getting her own way. Survivors include her granddaughter, Jolene Morrison (Randy), Topeka and their children, Joseph Vincent and Brice Morrison; brother, Elmer Shambach, Bowling Green KY; and numerous nieces and nephews. No services are planned. Memorial contributions may be made to Grace Hospice sent in care of Kevin Brennan Family Funeral Home, 2801 SW Urish Rd, Topeka KS 66614.

Tribute Wall



“ *Carlyn R. Vincent*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *I first meet Carlyn in a laundromat in Pacific Grove. We liked to get there when the place first opened so we had our pick of machines. Soon, "Carol", Scottie (another early bird), and I were a laundry family, meeting every Saturday at 6am, chatting, drinking coffee, helping each other, having fun. Carol became my friend forever. Carol had a wonderful sense of humor, able to laugh at herself and the terrible problems life threw at her: able to pick herself up and carry on, glowing with cheer and warmth. She loved large, lived large despite her tiny physical self. Her spirit was huge and filled any place that was blessed with her being.*

She deeply loved her family and I know that love was returned to her. I think of her family and all they have lost and feel their profound sadness. I also think of her family, remember all they had, and know they are wonderfully lucky to have had such a unique, special person in their lives.

With love, Susan Day

Susan Day - December 06, 2012 at 11:26 AM



“ *I knew Carol as a wonderful caregiver to my Mother from 1986 until about 1990 in Monterey, CA. She was always happy and funny. My prayers are with you all.*

Margery S Young - December 05, 2012 at 11:17 PM

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“ I knew "Carol" in the late 70's. My father and Carol were a couple, and I loved her instantly. We used to laugh how she taught me to drive, in her big blue car. I knew both of her sons, and was deeply sorry when they both passed, much too young. I never got her Slumgully recipe, and wish that I had. I tried to contact her, a few years ago, when I was in Kansas but nobody answered the phone number she gave me. Bless you, Carol. You were such a kind lady, with a mischievous sense of humor. May you be in the Lord's arms, and reunited with your sons that you loved so much. I will always remember you.

Debby Arellano Farmer - December 05, 2012 at 01:48 PM

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“ I just wanted the family to know how much I enjoyed taking care of Carlyn. She was such a joy and so very kind. I will miss her jokes and her laughter. But I will never forget her smiling personality. I know she is an angel in heaven smiling down on all who knew her. My prayers and thoughts are with you all.

Larissa Stoddard - December 04, 2012 at 06:15 PM